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In re Application of:

Baker et al.

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RESPONSE

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed June 8, 2004, the Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following remarks:

Remarks / Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.